

# The Grant Application Sample

Adobe® LiveCycle® Designer 8.0

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## About the sample

The Grant Application sample demonstrates the behavior of an interactive PDF form. For information about creating and using interactive forms, see the LiveCycle Designer Help.

## Getting started

To get started, you need the following files:

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Form:      Grant Application.pdf      Both the form design and the form that the user will interact with, located in the Forms folder.

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## Running the sample

You can run the sample by following these steps.

1. Open the form, Grant Application.pdf, in Adobe Acrobat® Professional, Acrobat Standard, or in Adobe Reader®.
2. Click in the Title of Project field and start filling the form.

## About the form

### Requirements

Fill out a Grant Application of the institution or foundation that issued the form.

### Features

#### Page numbering

The page numbers are calculated values obtained by inserting run-time properties in a Text object.

#### Maximum number of characters for each field

The Max Chars, located in the Field tab of the Object palette, for each field is specified as per data specifications.

#### Multiple line field

The Description field's Allow Multiple Lines option, located in the Field tab of the Object palette, is enabled so that users can enter several description lines.

## **Picture patterns**

The user is expected to enter some values in a specific format. A validation message, defined in the Value tab of the Object palette, will prompt the user to enter values in the proper format if the user has not done so. For example, a script will validate the BudgetDirectCosts field's user-entered value.

## **Custom library objects**

The U.S. States Custom Library Object was used to create the State and OrgState drop-down lists.

## **Tabbing order**

The default tabbing order has been modified to allow a column flow. The tabbing order is displayed by selecting the Tab Order option of the View menu.

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